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Grand and San Juan Counties

Fall 2015



Largest Employers

- 1. National Park Service
- 2. Red Cliffs Lodge
- 3. Monument Valley Lodge
- 4. Moab Brewery
- 5. Super 8 Motel
- 6. Moab Hampton Inn & Suites
- 7. Gouldings Lodge
- 8. Zax Wood-Fired Pizza And Watering Hole
- 9. McDonalds Moab
- 10. Sorrel River Ranch
- 11. Western River Expeditions
- 12. Pasta Jay's
- 13. Moab Diner
- 14. Casa De Amigos
- 15. Blu Management
- 16. Fiesta Mexicana
- 17. Susie's Branding Iron
- 18. Canyonlands Inn
- 19. Wendys

Leisure and Hospitality Employment and Wages

Industry Name (Code)	2012 Number of Employees	2012 Average Monthly Wage	Dec. 2011 to Dec. 2012 Percent Change in Employment
Leisure & Hospitality (71,72)	2,555	\$1,777	4.20%
Arts, entertainment, and recreation (71)	506	\$2,253	0.00%
Performing arts and spectator sports (711)	3	\$2,432	-50.00%
Amusements, gambling, and recreation (713)	338	\$1,498	15.03%
Accommodation and food services (72)	2,050	\$1,659	5.11%
Accommodation (721)	1,032	\$1,875	6.11%
Traveler accommodation (7211)	951	\$1,851	7.24%
RV parks and recreational camps (7212)	81	\$2,152	-10.87%
Food services and drinking places (722)	1,018	\$1,441	4.08%
Total area nonfarm payroll jobs	9,138	\$2,603	0.06%
Leisure and hospitality as a percent of total	28.0%	68.3%	

Data is compiled quarterly; hence the most recent full-year data is available for the previous year and shows the general level of the industry employment.

Leisure and Hospitality History

Year	Employment	Average Monthly Wage	Percent of Utah Average Monthly Wage	Number of Establishments	Payrolls (Millions)	Percent of Total Area Jobs	Percent of Total Area Payroll
2008	2,427	\$1,481	47.4%	170	\$43.1	27.2%	17.3%
2009	2,353	\$1,610	50.8%	165	\$45.5	27.3%	18.3%
2010	2,326	\$1,659	51.3%	157	\$46.3	26.8%	18.1%
2011	2,405	\$1,648	49.9%	164	\$47.5	27.3%	18.0%
2012	2,470	\$1,661	49.0%	165	\$49.2	27.7%	18.2%
2013	2,486	\$1,702	49.7%	168	\$50.8	27.6%	17.3%
2014	2,555	\$1,777	50.5%	171	\$54.5	28.0%	19.1%



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Southeast Area

Occupation Code	Occupation Title	Number of Employees	Inexperienced Hourly Wage	Median Hourly Wage
35-1012	First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers	290	\$10.31	\$12.87
35-2014	Cooks, Restaurant	390	\$8.03	\$9.84
35-2021	Food Preparation Workers	260	\$8.08	\$8.84
35-3021	Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food	1,370	\$8.06	\$8.51
35-3031	Waiters and Waitresses	970	\$8.04	\$12.01
37-2011	Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	800	\$8.81	\$12.55
37-2012	Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	890	\$8.10	\$10.08
37-3011	Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers	290	\$9.54	\$12.12
39-9031	Fitness Trainers and Aerobics Instructors	50	\$8.10	\$10.21
41-2011	Cashiers	1,880	\$8.18	\$9.06
43-4081	Hotel, Motel, and Resort Desk Clerks	380	\$8.37	\$10.36

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

Total Payroll Jobs December 2014

Statewide 1,364,012 Southeast 8,278 Percent of statewide 0.6%

Leisure and Hospitality Jobs December 2014

Statewide 134,743
Southeast 1,838
Percent of statewide 1.4%

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